

A Regular Communication of Blue Ridge Lodge, No. 92, A. F. M., will be held next Friday evening, May 12, 1916, at 8.30 o'clock.
JOHN A. ANSEL, W. M.
W. O. WHITE, Secretary. (adv.)

Knights of Pythias.
A special meeting of Walhalla Lodge, No. 67, K. of P., will be held at the Masonic Temple next Monday night, May 15, at 8 o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is the organization of a Degree Team and consideration of other important matters. Every member urged to be present. Visiting Knights always welcome.
J. W. SHELOR, C. C.
T. B. SHELOR, K. R. & S. (adv.)

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Dr. Odom makes glad eyes. Do you wear them? See date.—Adv.

—M. R. Hunicutt, of West Union, is spending several days in Atlanta on business.

—Mrs. Mack Moore, of the Shiloh section, visited her mother, Mrs. J. L. Campbell, here last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Phillips are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. Henry Cannon, of Clayton, Ga.

—Get Hawkes' eyeglasses at Bell's drug store; 40 per cent reduction. Large stock.—Adv.

—Master Lewis McAllister, of Birmingham, Ala., is spending a while with his uncle, Thos. R. Owens, and family.

—Mrs. W. T. Grubbs returned last Friday to her home at Fair Play after visiting relatives and friends in and near Walhalla.

—Mrs. George W. Darby, of Sandy Springs, has been spending a week in Walhalla, visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Long, and family.

—Fresh cows and one good horse for sale. N. W. Macaulay, Walhalla, S. C.—Adv.

—Miss Vera White, of the Oakway school, spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Walhalla visiting at the homes of her uncles, R. T. and C. G. Jaynes.

—Miss Theo Hughes, who has been engaged in teaching in Pickens county for several months, is at home again, to the delight of numerous friends.

—Belmont Democratic Club met on May 6th, and reorganized by re-electing the former officers—Geo. W. Wilbanks, president, and R. L. Vissage, secretary.

—Refrigerators and ice cream freezers at Jaynes'. Prices right. "Jaynes cuts the price and sells the goods."—Adv.

—The ladies of the Presbyterian church wish to extend thanks to the automobile owners who so kindly helped them to give their guests last week a pleasant ride.

—Mrs. Dresden A. Smith and children are spending a short while at Lugoff, Kershaw county, S. C. Smith's old home, where they are guests of Mrs. Smith's parents and other relatives.

—We are requested to announce that the annual picnic at Hunicutt's Bridge will be held this year on the 4th of July. There will be good speakers on hand, and the usual full amusement program will be arranged.

—Pay your town taxes before June 1st, after which the 20 per cent penalty will be added. Attend to your taxes now and avoid penalty. Books open at Bank of Walhalla. Will J. Schroder, Clerk and Treasurer.—Adv.

—Mrs. W. C. Hughes and little daughter, Gertrude, of Walhalla, and Mrs. Jesse C. Neville, of West Union, left Monday for Rock Hill, where they will be for a week or more visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Adams.

—J. M. Smith, of Starr, Anderson county, has been appointed as an assistant examiner of the Federal Trades Commission at Washington. Young Smith graduated at Clemson College in 1915 and has since been teaching in Anderson county. The present appointment is but for four months, but will likely be made permanent at the expiration of that period.

—Large hats for the summer season. Come see them; all new goods. Latest styles, with best style. Mrs. T. H. Bryce, (formerly Miss Fannie Harbin), new building next to Success Theater, West Main street, Seneca, S. C.—Adv. 19.

—An enthusiastic meeting of the Civic League was held on last Monday afternoon, the 8th. Officers for the past year were re-elected, and work for the coming year planned. The members of the league will sell ice cream at the Rex Airplane next Saturday night. The proceeds will go for civic improvement, and all of our citizens are urged to purchase liberally.

—For Sale—Fresh drawn (not shipped) Nancy Hall and Porto Rico potato slips. From Clemson selected seed stock. John J. Busch, Walhalla, S. C.—Adv.

—One of the most delightful meetings of the Priscilla Club was that of last Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. James Harrison entertained. The afternoon was particularly pleasant because of charming guests. When the usual hour for sewing was ended, Mrs. Harrison, assisted by her sister, Miss Harrison, served a delicious salad course, followed by mint. The next meeting will be with Miss Theo Hughes on Tuesday, May 16th.

—V. W. Cole, the photographer, is now ready for business. See the display of samples at his tent, next to Enterprise Bank. Be sure to get a picture of the baby. Don't let the opportunity slip. You will want to see how the children looked a few years hence; also rather and mother; brother and sister. See Cole for particulars. Prices always right for good work.—Adv.

—Sweet potato slips every week at O. H. Schumacher's.—Adv. 21.

—Phone 67 for fresh fruits, vegetables, something to boil. O. H. Schumacher, Walhalla.—Adv.

—Mrs. J. A. Steck and niece, Miss Pauline Steck, spent the latter part of last week in Atlanta.

—Sam Puchford spent several days last week among relatives and friends in Atlanta and Marietta, Ga.

—Nice young milk cows—fresh—for sale by W. M. Brown.—Adv.

—The Fidelis Class of the Baptist Sunday school will give an ice cream party at "The Cedars" Friday night, beginning at 7.30 o'clock. The members of the class extend a cordial invitation to all their friends to attend and hope for liberal patronage.

—There will be an all-day singing at Stamp Creek on the third Sunday in May. Dinner will be served on the grounds. Messrs. Bolding, of Pickens; Geo. Abbott and Mr. Brock, of Seneca; R. N. Smith and J. Furman Morton, of West Union; John Chastain, of Salem, and all other singers are invited to take part. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—Dr. Barton's drug store is headquarters for Dr. Odom's good glasses. See date.—Adv.

—There will be no preaching services at Retreat next Sunday on account of the pastor, Rev. J. E. Wallace, being at Walhalla that day to assist in the installation of Rev. W. H. Hamilton. There will, however, be services at Retreat on the third Sunday afternoon, May 21st, at 3.30. The communion service will be postponed till the second Sunday in June.

—About 15 Walhalla Pythians went to Seneca last Monday to attend the regular meeting of the Seneca K. of P. Lodge. There were also several members of Westminster lodge present, and a most enjoyable meeting was held. A recent interchange of visits between the two lodges has proven not only a social success, but mutually profitable from a fraternal standpoint.

—Anybody can see at a glance what 40 per cent reduction in price means. If you can't see well, you need a pair of Hawkes' glasses. Large assortment; 40 per cent reduction in price. Call and examine. Bell's Drug Store, Walhalla.—Adv.

—Married, at the home of Clerk of Court John P. Craig, who performed the ceremony, Miss Vera Gilmer and Luther Medlin, both of the Ebenezer sect. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Gilmer, the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Medlin. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in the presence of a few witnesses. The young couple have the good wishes of many friends for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

—Attention is directed to the advertisement of Winthrop Normal and Industrial College examination for scholarships, which will be held at the Court House in Walhalla on Friday, July 7th. All necessary information is contained in this announcement. If, however, any other details are desired as to the college or the examination, a letter addressed to the President at Rock Hill will bring the information asked. See advertisement on second page.

—For Sale—Good horse at a bargain. Apply to Pete Schroder at Bank of Walhalla.—Adv.

—John W. Lee, while attending as a delegate the Sunday School Convention in Charleston, took a pleasure trip, along with many others, over to Sullivan's Island. While there securing an assortment of sea shells Mr. Lee noticed one in the water off the beach a waste paper basket. This he secured, and then noted that it was quite artistically decorated with numerous barnacles that had attached themselves to the basket reeds. He filled the basket with shells and returned with both basket and shell collection.

—T. E. Alexander sells Rock Hill buggies. Walhalla, S. C.—Adv. 19.

—Dr. A. A. Odom, of Greenville, will be in Walhalla next Tuesday, May 16th, and will have his headquarters at Dr. Barton's drug store. Dr. Odom has been coming to Walhalla for some years and is prepared to take care of all orders for glasses, glass eyes and to prepare specially fitted glasses for almost any defect in the sight. If you have eye trouble you will do well to consult him next Tuesday at Dr. Barton's drug store. He also announces the dates for his visit to Westminster—Wednesday, May 17th.

—The South Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs is in session in Anderson. The first meeting of the session was held last night, this being a social feature. The delegates from the clubs of this section (and hostesses) are as follows: Mrs. James H. Darby, Walhalla, with Mrs. A. G. Pretwell; Mrs. L. M. Brown, Walhalla with Mrs. J. M. Hubbard; Mrs. W. J. Lunney and Mrs. T. L. Stribling, Seneca, with Mrs. J. J. Fretwell, Jr.; Mrs. F. H. H. Calhoun, Clemson, with Mrs. J. R. Vandiver; Mrs. Len Boleman and Mrs. W. T. Hunt, Townville, with Mrs. Oscar Dean.

—For Sale at Real Bargain—No. 1 Geyser saw mill and 15 h. p. Peerless engine. Apply to A. Gaines, Westminster, S. C.—Adv. 19.

—The meeting of the Piedmont Presbyterian, held in the Walhalla Presbyterian church last week, is said to have been one of the best in the history of the body. There were quite a number of delegates here during the three days' sessions. All of the old officers were re-elected. Several new secretaries, however, were chosen, these being Miss Ruth Walker, secretary for foreign missions; Miss Cobb, secretary of literature; Mrs. Beaty, secretary of Assembly home missions; Mrs. Parker, secretary of local home missions. The ladies of the local Presbyterian church were delighted at having the opportunity of entertaining the Presbyterian, and found great pleasure and profit in having the meeting in their midst.

—Lemons, Jell-o ice cream powders, gelatine, all kinds of cereal foods at Cash Grocery Co.—Adv.

—Best grade graham flour at Jaynes', Walhalla.—Adv.

—Klaren Ritter, operator and assistant agent at Walhalla for the Blue Ridge Railway, is at Belton this week relieving the agent at that place, who is sick.

—Geo. M. Ansel and Miles L. Phillips are in Greenville to-day attending the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows. They are the representatives of Oconee Lodge, No. 64.

—Dr. Odom is your eyes' best friend. Let him make your glasses. See date.—Adv.

—Motor license tax due June 1! Clerk of Court Craig has an important announcement in another column regarding this tax. By paying early you get a license for a year and 15 days.

—Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Matheson Hardware Co., of Westminster. This firm is ready to supply all your needs in the way of hardware, builders' materials, etc., and at present is making a specialty of screens of all kinds. See them and shut out the flies.

—For Sale—Fresh milk cow; reasonable price. Ivan Edwards, Walhalla Route 2.—Adv. 19.

—The Courier presents the names of six new candidates this week, as follows: For House of Representatives, W. P. Mason, of Westminster Route 3, and Harry R. Hughes, of Walhalla; for Sheriff, Geo. L. Jones, of Walhalla; for Coroner, Whit Knox, of West Union Route 1, (for re-election), Perry Garner, of Seneca Route 4, and Joe M. Duncan, of Westminster.

—Good cheap mule for sale. Apply at once to T. E. Alexander, Walhalla.—Adv.

—Mrs. J. H. Darby and Mrs. C. P. Corn left this morning for Anderson to attend the meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Darby represents the Paul Hayne Circle, of Walhalla, while Mrs. Corn, who has been visiting in Walhalla, goes as the representative of her club at Johnston. Mrs. L. M. Brown, a representative from the Walhalla club, owing to a recent death in her family, was unable to attend, as was also her alternate.

—Are you discouraged about your eyes? If so, see Dr. Odom. See date.—Adv.

—Enoch C. (Pete) Chapman died at his home in the Salem section on Sunday, April 30th, at the age of about 80 years. Mr. Chapman was a Confederate veteran. He saw service throughout the war as a member of Company G, 12th S. C. Regiment. He was well known to many of the older citizens of Oconee, and was a highly respected citizen of his community. He is survived by several children. We have been unable to learn particulars as to funeral and interment.

—If you drink coffee, have it good. B. O., 25c. pound; Barrington Hall, 40c. pound. Cash Grocery Co. adv.

—Mrs. Anna Butt, wife of James Butt, died at her home in the Monaghan Mill village last Saturday, after a lingering illness from Bright's disease. Funeral services were held Sunday, the body being taken to Hopewell (near Westminster) for interment. The deceased was 46 years of age. Before marriage she was a Miss Lyles, being a daughter of Samuel Lyles. She is survived by her husband and six children, to whom The Courier joins with other friends in extending sympathy in their bereavement.

—Artificial eyes matched and inserted with life-like movements by Dr. Odom at Barton's drug store. See date.—Adv.

—The marriage of Miss Cornelia Kelley and Callie Chalmers will be solemnized this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelley, of the Tamassee section. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. W. H. Hamilton, who is pastor of the young couple. Miss Kelley is a daughter of J. E. Kelley and is pleasantly known by a wide circle of friends. Mr. Chalmers is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Chalmers, and is a prosperous young farmer. We join with a host of other friends, in advance of the happy event, in wishing for these young people long life, happiness and continued prosperity.

—Green beans, fresh tomatoes, bran flakes, Kraft cheese, at Cash Grocery Co., Walhalla.—Adv.

—There are many in Walhalla who will learn with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Geo. DeWalt, a brief account of which we clip from a dispatch sent from Prosperity last Sunday: "Mrs. George DeWalt died here yesterday. Her death was unexpected and sudden, as she had been sick only a little while, and the illness was of a minor nature. Mrs. DeWalt was about 75 years of age. She was a Christian lady of most happy disposition and a life-long member of Grace Lutheran church. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Geo. Y. Hunter, and several brothers." Mrs. DeWalt spent several summers in Walhalla, having old friends here, and making many new ones. She was a woman of fine character and most lovable nature. Her friends are grieved to learn of her death.

—Refrigerators and ice cream freezers at Jaynes'. Prices right. "Jaynes cuts the price and sells the goods."—Adv.

—The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church will meet at Orlando, Fla., this year. The sessions will last for ten days, beginning Thursday of next week, May 18th. Piedmont Presbytery is entitled to two representatives, one ministerial and one lay delegate. Rev. W. T. Hollingsworth, of the Townville Presbyterian church, will be the ministerial representative of Piedmont Presbytery, and Wade C. Hughes, Esq., an elder in the Walhalla church, will be the lay representative. Rev. Mr. Hollingsworth and Mr. Hughes will leave Tuesday of next week for Orlando. Rev. W. H. Mills, of Clemson, will also attend the session of the General Assembly, but not as an official representative. He will go on special invitation to deliver an address on "The Country Church."

Dr. A. A. ODOM, The Well Known Greenville Optometrist,
BY SPECIAL REQUEST, will be in WALHALLA, at Dr. BARTON'S DRUG STORE, TUESDAY, MAY 16,
He will also be at WESTMINSTER, at the Gilreath Hotel, Wednesday, May 17th, at CENTRAL, S. C., at the Central Hotel, Thursday, May 18th, at LIBERTY, at Hunter's Pharmacy, Friday, May 19th, and at PICKENS, at the Pickens Inn, on Saturday, May 20th.
His examinations are thorough and accurate, his work very reliable and as good as the best to be had anywhere. Special attention given to school children's eyes.

WALHALLA H.S. COMMENCEMENT

Exercises Will Begin With Annual Sermon, Sunday, May 21st.

The commencement exercises of Walhalla High School will begin on Sunday, May 21st, when the annual sermon will be preached by Dr. J. C. Seegers, of Columbia.

On Friday, May 26th, the annual recitation contest for the George M. Ansel medal will be held, and on Tuesday, May 30th, the declamation contest for the R. T. Jaynes medal will take place. The former contest is open to all girls in the school. The declamation contest is open to all boys above the fifth grade.

On Monday evening, May 29th, the members of the graduating class will have their class night exercises.

The graduating exercises will be held on Wednesday evening, May 31st. Dr. W. S. Currell, president of the University of South Carolina, will deliver the annual address, and diplomas will be delivered to the twenty-five graduates (fifteen girls and ten boys).

Invitations Are Out
Members of the graduating class are arranging the dispatch to friends out of town of invitations to the exercises. Following is the form of a very neatly arranged folder invitation to these exercises:

Commencement
Class of Nineteen Sixteen.
The Senior Class of Walhalla High School requests your presence at the Commencement Exercises Sunday, May twenty-first, Monday, May twenty-ninth, Wednesday, May thirty-first, School Auditorium, Walhalla, South Carolina.

Program.
Sunday, 11 a. m.—Class Sermon by Dr. J. C. Seegers.
Monday, 8.15 p. m.—Class Night Exercises.
Wednesday, 8.15 p. m.—Graduating Exercises; Annual Address by Dr. W. S. Currell. Presentation of diplomas.

Class Roll.
Lucy Demillia Brandt,
Clyde Calhoun Brown,
Myrtle Brown,
Gladys Margrette Burley,
Marvin Muse Burley,
William Singleton Cross, Jr.,
Decie Irene Earle,
Gordon William Fant,
Daniel Boone Fitzgerald,
Eunice Janette Grant,
Daisy Pauline Hesse,
Edwin Fennell Hughes,
Annie Elise Hunicutt,
Sallie Hunt,
Julia Bertha Kaufmann,
Isabel Lee Macaulay,
Albert Meiburg,
Sara Robertson Moss,
Ina Mulkey,
Elois Amanda Shockley,
Lawrence Raymond Shockley,
Elison Matthew Smith,
Pauline Antoinette Steck,
Glenna Jane Todd,
Marvin Carlyle Todd,
Class Officers—Edwin Hughes, President; Eunice Grant, Secretary; Decie Earle, Historian.
Class Motto—"Finished, Yet Beginning."
Class Colors—Gold and white.
Class Flower—Daisy.

Class Representatives.
Salutatory—Pauline Steck.
Class History—Decie Earle.
Class Prophecy—Albert Meiburg.
Class Oration—Elison Smith.
Class Memorial—Sallie Hunt, Daisy Hesse.
Class Statistics—Edwin Hughes.
Valedictory—Julia Kaufmann.
(The members of the High School faculty are: H. W. Gasque, superintendent; Misses Lola Kaufmann and Sarah Rudd.)

Sunday Homicide at Pelzer.
(Anderson Mail, 8th.)
Vasco Rose, a white man employed in the Pelzer mills, was killed by Troy Teague, also an employee in these mills, Sunday afternoon in Pelzer. Teague struck Rose with a stick and later with a rock, fracturing Rose's skull, producing a clot of blood on his brain, which caused death. Teague has disappeared, but officers are searching for him.

From the testimony taken at the inquest, it seems that the difficulty grew out of a dispute between Troy Teague and Will Teague about a watch. These men are brothers. During the dispute Rose told Claude Teague that Troy Teague had Will Teague's watch. Troy denied having the watch, and he and Rose began to quarrel. Some witnesses say that Rose had a knife and said that he intended to cut Troy. Friends tried to separate the men, but the quarrelling became more intense. The lie was passed. Troy Teague struck Rose with a stick, the stick breaking over Rose's head. They then picked up a rock and struck Rose over the head with it, knocking Rose down. He died within a few minutes.

British Capture Mexican Flag Ship.
Washington, May 6.—The capture by British cruisers of the schooner Leonore, flying the Mexican flag, said to be owned by the German vice consul at Guaymas, has been reported to the Navy Department by Admiral Winslow.

—Rev. J. L. Stokes is attending the Methodist District Conference at Pendleton.

Summer Time--Fly Time.

Now is the time to rid your Home of the dreaded FLY. Screen your HOME; be in time. No excuse whatever of taking any chances with the Pests, as our warehouses are full up of these Summer Necessities.

Screen Doors \$1.00 and up.
Screen Windows--adjustable--50c. to \$1.00.
Screen Wire, Black and Galvanized, all widths, 15c. per yard up.
Ice Cream Freezers, Hammocks, Ice Chests, Water Coolers.

OIL STOVES. MAJESTIC RANGES. ALUMINUM and WHITE WARE. NU-GLOSS. KYANIZE. JAPALAC.

Automobile Tires Electric Fans Electric Irons

A few beautiful Electric Lamps to close out at Factory Cost.

Matheson Hardware Co.,
Westminster, S. C.

SHOES

Oxfords, Low Cuts

- We have just received a big shipment of OXFORDS and LOW CUT SHOES.
- We have a big and complete stock of STYLE-PLUS CLOTHING, Dry Goods and General Merchandise.
- We are agents for MITCHELL Wagons, MOYER, TYSON & JONES and BABCOCK Buggies.
- A big and complete stock of Harness, Hardware and Farm Supplies.
- Paints and Oils—Lime and Cement. See us for Good Merchandise at Right Prices.

W. P. Nimmons, Seneca, S. C.

Ladies' Furnishings!

Mrs. W. M. BROWN and COMPANY,
WALHALLA, S. C.

Invite the ladies of Oconee to visit their Millinery Parlors, on Main Street, and inspect their showing of one of the handsomest and prettiest lines of Ladies' Silk Dresses, and Ladies', Misses' and Children's White Dresses ever brought here.

You also must see the following lines to appreciate their full beauty and worth: Ladies' Shirt Waists, Ladies' Panama Skirts, Ladies' Underwear, Children's Hats, Ribbons, Embroideries and Laces.

IT IS A PLEASURE TO SHOW THE GOODS WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT.

MY STALLION will be at W. M. Brown's Stables every Saturday from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Oconee raised; sired by famous Wilkes Hal. Write me for particulars. J. S. ABBOTT, Walhalla, S. C., Route 1. 19*

DIAMOND D., a fine Stallion, will be at W. M. Brown's Stables, Walhalla, next Saturday for service. Stock raisers should see him. Any other information given by E. B. KEESSE, Westminster, Route 2.

FOR SALE—Good mare, 8 years old, and good mule, same age, weight each about thousand pounds; High Point single buggy, good as new; 2% Studebaker wagon. Terms to suit purchaser. OSCAR H. DEATON, Walhalla, Route 2. 19-tf.

MY FAMOUS STALLION will be at the Shook Livery Stables in Walhalla every Saturday until further notice. Stock raisers will do well to avail themselves of this opportunity to raise good colts. My animal will commend himself to any judge of good stock. He is best known as the Pickensmer Horse; native North Carolina raised. Any particulars gladly given. J. F. HEDDEN, West Union, S. C. 18-tf.